

## SPARTANBURG COUNTY, SC

Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997

	1997	1992	1987
<b>Farms</b>			
Number	1,067	1,015	1,010
Acreage	106,937	107,058	118,451
Average size (acres)	100	105	117
Median size (acres)	51	N	N
<b>Estimated market value average per farm</b>			
Land/buildings (dollars)	256,333	211,456	190,814
Machinery/equip (dollars)	29,701	20,211	23,042
<b>Cropland (acres)</b>			
Total	64,287	64,518	66,972
Harvested	28,538	28,894	33,617
Irrigated	1,127	2,230	3,319
<b>Agricultural products sold - market value</b>			
(\$1,000)	23,114	23,293	22,393
(dollars avg. per farm)	21,663	22,949	22,171
<b>Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm</b>			
(dollars average)	2,148	1,823	2,482
<b>Livestock inventory (number)</b>			
Cattle and calves	22,231	22,599	21,615
Beef cows	10,518	9,585	9,820
Milk cows	1,610	1,823	1,716
Hogs and pigs	307	203	641
Sheep and lambs	53	54	D
Layers 13 wks or older	725	D	51,510
Broilers and chicken (sold)	D	0	0
<b>Harvested commodities (acres)</b>			
Com, grain or seed	507	665	945
Com, silage or green chop	N	N	N
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	N
Wheat	2,281	2,870	1,863
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	0	0	0
Tobacco	0	0	0
Soybeans	2,104	1,763	1,438
Dry edible beans, excl lin as	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweet potatoes	N	N	N
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N
Hay-alfalfa	16,900	13,376	13,994
<b>Vegetables</b>			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

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Orchards			
Number of farms	106	193	227
Acreage	4,968	7,820	10,678

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-W withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture

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